ADVERTISEMENT.

THE Reader is desired to correct the Title of the XIIth Paper of the last Number of these *Transactions* in the following manner:

A Letter from Richard Brocklesby M. D. *and* F.R.S. *to the* President, *concerning the* Indian Poison, *sent over by* Don Antonio De Ulloa *of Seville*, F. R. S. *and mentioned by* M. de la Condamine, *of the* Royal Academy *of* Sciences *at* Paris, *in his late Account of the* River *of the* Amazons *in* South America.

He is also desired in the same Paper, to read towards the Bottom of the first Page, instead of *Mr. Juan Antonio de Loa*, *Don Antonio de Ulloa*. This Gentleman was one of those sent by the King of *Spain* to attend and assist the *French* Astronomers of the *Royal Academy* of *Sciences*, in their late Measure of a *Degree* of *Latitude* near the *Equator*. He was taken Prisoner at *Cape Breton* in his Return home, and brought into *England*, where his Papers all relating to the Measure of the Degree, and other Astronomical and Philosophical Observations, were by the Favour of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty restored to him, to be published in his own Country. An Abstract of the same was however by their Lordship's Leave communicated to the *Royal Society*, by their *President*, who was entrusted with the Perusal of the same: And the Author himself, who is a Gentleman of great Merit, was soon after unanimously chosen a Fellow of the *Society*. Some time after his Return he procured the above-mentioned Specimen of this *Indian* Poison, which he sent over together, with some Books, as a Present to his Friend the *President* of the *Society*.